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SUMMARY. ON BASIS DISCUSSIONS WITH SYG LUNS' OFFICE WE HAVE DEVELOPED FOLLOWING INFORMATION ON SYG' S DESIRES FOR UPCOMING WASHINGTON VISIT. I BELIEVE PARTICULAR EFFORT SHOULD BE MADE TO ARRANGE FOR MEETINGS BETWEEN LUNS AND KEY MEMBERS OF CONGRESS. END SUMMARY.

1. TIMING. LUNS PLANS BE IN OTTAWA APRIL 10 FOR OPENING DAY OF CCMS PLENARY. HE WOULD PREFER TO SPEND NIGHT OF APRIL 10 IN OTTAWA, TRAVELING TO WASHINGTON DURING DAY OF APRIL 11, BUT WOULD BE PREPARED LEAVE OTTAWA FOLLOWING DAY' S ACTIVITIES APRIL 10 IF NECESSARY.

2. MEETINGS. LUNS HOPES TO MEET WITH THE PRESIDENT AND ALSO UNDERSTANDS DR. KISSINGER IS INTERESTED IN A MEETING. IN ADDITION TO MEETING WITH SECRETARY ROGERS AND SECRETARY RICHARDSON, MENTIONED PARA 3 REFTEL, LUNS HAS ASKED TO MEET WITH SECRETARY SCHULTZ AND DEPUTY SECRETARY RUSH.

3. LUNS IS PREPARED TO MEET WITH MEMBERS OF CONGRESS IF WASHINGTON AGENCIES BELIEVE THIS WOULD BE USEFUL.
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I RECOMMEND THAT EFFORT BE MADE TO ARRANGE MEETINGS FOR LUNS

WITH MEMBERS OF CONGRESS. IN VIEW OF LARGE NUMBER OF CONGRESSMEN WITH WHOM SUCH MEETINGS WOULD BE DESIRABLE, I SUGGEST ARRANGING FOR GROUP MEETINGS WITH SELECTED MEMBERS OF HOUSE AND SENATE ARMED SERVICES AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEES, HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEES, AS WELL AS WITH LEADERS OF HOUSE AND SENATE IN THEIR INDIVIDUAL CAPACITIES.

4. OTHER APPOINTMENTS. LUNS HAS BEEN INVITED BY WASHINGTON INSTITUTE OF WORLD AFFAIRS TO SPEAK AT A DINNER MEETING. IN VIEW FACT THAT HE ACCEPTED SIMILAR INVITATION IN FEBRUARY 1972, LUNS IS INCLINED HOLD OFF REPLYING TO INSTITUTE UNTIL HIS OFFICIAL SCHEDULE SUFFICIENTLY FIRM TO INDICATE WHETHER TIME WILL BE AVAILABLE. LUNS HAS SAID HE WOULD LIKE TO SPEND WEEKEND OF APRIL 14-15 IN US OUTSIDE WASHINGTON. WE UNDERSTAND HE HAS NEW YORK IN MIND, BUT POSSIBLY AN APPEARANCE IN MIDWEST WOULD BE USEFUL.

5. OTHER MEMBERS OF PARTY. AT PRESENT TIME, LUNS' OFFICE IS PLANNING THAT LUNS WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY DIRECTEUR DU CABINET VAN CAMPEN AND PERSONAL ASSISTANT, MISS BORGMAN BROUWER. I AM TENTATIVELY PLANNING TO BE IN WASHINGTON DURING THAT PERIOD.
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